

News of the Intermountain Region

WILL OF MRS. EVANS FILED FOR PROBATE

M. Tanner, With Whom Her Name Was Linked, Will Not Act as Executor.

THOMAS R. CUTLER WILL ACT IN THAT CAPACITY

Requests Left to Mother, Brothers and Children "Taken in Infancy to Raise."

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—The sensational charges in which the name of J. M. Tanner of Salt Lake was linked with that of Mrs. Sarah T. Evans in a secret bigamous marriage contracted several years ago, were recalled Friday when the will of the late Mrs. Evans, who at the time of her death was employed in the city at the Weber stake academy as a teacher of the domestic science department, was filed for probate.

J. M. Tanner is named in the will as executor of the estate and as guardian of the two children, which the deceased says in her will "were taken in their infancy to raise." Notwithstanding his appointment as executor of the will and as guardian of the two children, J. M. Tanner will not serve in either capacity.

The will was annexed to a petition filed by Thomas R. Cutler, in which the latter asks the probate court to appoint him administrator of the estate, inasmuch as the executor, J. M. Tanner, had renounced his right to serve in the capacity of guardian of the children.

Attached to this petition by Mr. Cutler is a renunciation of his right to serve as executor or guardian of the children, which the petitioners, Mr. Cutler, asserts that he has been requested to act in this capacity by a brother of Mrs. Evans and an heir to the estate.

The names of the children are given as Florida Burgess, aged 14, of Brant, Alberta, Canada, and Elsie Evans, aged 12, of Lethbridge, this state.

The estate consists of personal property valued at \$500, real estate in Alberta, Canada, valued at \$1200, and real estate in Lethbridge valued at \$125.

The will was made on December 29 of last year and is witnessed by Sarah A. T. and Barbara Stern. To her mother, Charlotte E. Taylor, Mrs. Evans bequeathed the sum of \$500. To her brother, William Taylor and John Taylor, and to Horace Burgess, she devised the sum of \$25 each. The residue of the property she bequeathed to the two children to be used for their education.

Mr. Cutler, the guardian appointed, after he has undertaken a bond for the faithful performance of his duty. In the performance of his duties as executor of the estate, Mrs. Evans by her will does not require that a bond be given.

A. E. ASHCRAFT FREED BY JUDGE MURPHY

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—Upon the request of George P. Undergrave, the complaining witness, A. E. Ashcraft, charged with the crime of larceny, was dismissed in the police court Friday morning.

When brought into court Friday morning a representative of the Intermountain detective agency at Salt Lake at the instance of Undergrave, at the time it was stated that Ashcraft had appropriated to his own use something like \$1000 belonging to the company.

Undergrave, who came into court Friday morning for the preliminary hearing, the young man was as usual accompanied by his father, who is a well-known resident of Ogden.

Harris announced that after a consultation with the witnesses for the state, he desired to ask that the case be dismissed, as there was a lack of evidence sufficient to convict. Both the defendant and his father were released, and the young man left the bench.

THREE STICKS OF DYNAMITE FOUND NEAR LIVERY STABLE

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—Three sticks of dynamite were found in the rear of the Williams livery stable by Walter Williams, the manager, Friday morning.

The paper in which the sticks were wrapped was wrapped with a note which was believed to have been placed there by some one for the purpose of lowering up the police patrol to pass over to spot when responding to a call.

The discovery of the explosive probably prevented the loss of several hundred dollars' worth of property. Mr. Williams says the place is cleaned out every day, and is positive that the dynamite was not there Thursday afternoon.

DAMAGES FOR INJURY TO CATTLE

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—In the District Court Friday, LaFevre & Burnett, cattle dealers of Idaho, filed an amended complaint against the Union Pacific and Oregon Short Line Railroad companies, asking for \$3500 damages which it is claimed resulted to a shipment of cattle which was consigned to Omaha, Neb., from Pocatello, Idaho.

On September 12 of last year, the plaintiffs stated that 615 head of cattle were delivered to the railroad for transportation.

Through the want of proper care and attention, the cattle reached Omaha in poor condition, according to the complaint, causing their value to depreciate to the extent of damages demanded.

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RESORT MANAGER IS ATTACKED BY DRUNK

Rudolph Kuchler Struck on Head by Inebriated Railroad Brakeman.

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—As Manager Rudolph Kuchler of the Ogden Canyon Sanatorium company stepped to the telephone at the resort Friday evening to summon a doctor to treat a drunken railroad brakeman, whose name is L. A. Graves, the fellow approached Mr. Kuchler from the rear, striking him a vicious blow over the head with some blunt weapon.

Graves blew into town from Winnemucca, Nev., Friday morning, and at once proceeded to "flush the can." When he arrived at the sanatorium he proceeded to make himself as objectionable as possible to those at the resort. So reprehensible was his conduct that Manager Kuchler was forced to renege with him several times Friday.

Graves became unmanageable as well as unendurable. Mr. Kuchler stepped to the telephone to ask for an officer, when the cowardly attack was made.

Deputy Sheriff Naylor was summoned after the assault, and escorted the obstreperous brackman to the county jail, where he will be held pending his trial on a charge of assault and battery.

Graves was not seriously injured, sustaining only a scalp wound.

School Board Meeting

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—The finance committee reported tonight to the board of education that \$153,600 will be needed to run the schools of the city for the next year.

Of this amount \$100,000 will be received from the city taxation, and \$53,600 from the state school land fund.

An application by Prof. D. E. Cloyd of the Ogden high school, asking permission to use the building for a school for pupils who have work to make up, was referred to the public building and grounds committee.

The amount in the treasury at present is \$21,970.83, according to the treasurer's report.

Bancroft Disappointed

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—General Manager Bancroft of the Oregon Short Line returned to Ogden Friday after a two-weeks visit at Monterey, Cal.

Mr. Bancroft seemed disappointed that he could not see the city during his visit. He said that he would investigate the matter at once, and gave assurance that there would be no more delay, and that the work would be commenced at once and pressed to completion.

Now Wants Divorce

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—Since March 1, 1905, Clyde C. Howard has failed to furnish his wife, Anna Howard, with the common necessities of life, according to her complaint for divorce filed in the District Court Friday.

Mrs. Howard declares that he has caused her great mental distress and worry by his indolent and shiftless habits. She has been obliged to work as a domestic to provide herself and her three-year-old child with food and clothing, according to her complaint. She asks the court to grant her a decree of divorce, the custody of the minor child, \$50 attorney's fee and suitable alimony.

Selling Tobacco to Boys

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—For selling tobacco to minors at various times, E. A. Munsey, a twenty-fifth street tobacconist, was fined \$50 in the police court Friday morning.

The two boys, Raymond Denny and George Manning, testified that they bought tobacco from Munsey on Easter Sunday. The tobacconist man denied the charge, saying that he would not sell any such fine, but would carry the case up on an appeal.

Ogden Boys

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—Robert G. Agnew was on Friday appointed guardian ad litem of Thomas Jacobelli, a minor who will shortly institute proceedings against the Union Pacific and Oregon Short Line companies for personal injuries received while in the employ of the company.

Mr. Burns has filed a complaint in the juvenile court against Len Higginbotham, a lad under the age of eighteen. Burns charges that the boy attacked his son, Neil Burns, on Friday and gave him a severe beating. The Higginbotham boy will be given a hearing in the juvenile court by Judge Gunn.

A license to marry was issued to Nora J. Torkelson of Salt Lake City and Celia C. Nelson of Brigham City Friday by the County Clerk.

ALLIES OF THE IDAHO MORMONS SHOWN UP

Special to The Tribune.

BOISE, Idaho, April 24.—It now develops that chief among the Mormon shouters of the alleged Democratic club of this city, John F. Nugent, who had so much to say at a so-called indignation meeting of this club about the alleged high-handed manner in which the anti-Mormon Democratic patriots of Latah county selected delegates to the Twin Falls convention, was two years ago appointed, presumably by the county chairman, to head the pro-Mormon delegation from Owyhee county to the state Democratic convention at Coeur d'Alene.

With this magnanimous defender of the Mormon priesthood it is all right then to make such appointments, but now what he assumes was done by the other side is all wrong. The Mormon allies in Boise are making themselves exceedingly ridiculous before thinking, right-minded people.

Park City News Notes

Special to The Tribune.

PARK CITY, April 24.—John Funk, a prominent and respected resident of this city, died at the Windsor hotel Salt Lake on Thursday night. Mr. Funk has been ill in Salt Lake for the past several months, and his death was a great loss to the community.

Mr. Funk was born in Sweden, in 1850, and came to Park City thirty years ago. He was proprietor of a lumber shop for some years, but of late has been in the mining business. Mr. Funk was manager of the South Dakota mine and vice-president of the company. He is survived by a wife and two daughters, Mrs. Julius Jacobson, his oldest daughter, being in New Mexico. The funeral will be held in Salt Lake Sunday.

The ladies of the Degree of Honor held their regular meeting at the Miners' union hall Friday night. At the close of the meeting a well-arranged program was given, refreshments were served and the evening was finished with cards and games.

Mrs. W. S. Thresh left for Laramie, Wyo., this morning, called by the sudden death of her father, who is an old resident of that city.

JUDGE HOWELL CUTS BONDS OF MATRIMONY

Divorce Matinee at Ogden Teems With Unhappy Stories.

Special to The Tribune.

OGDEN, April 24.—It took only fifteen minutes for Judge Howell to loose the "tie that binds" in three cases Friday afternoon, at the weekly divorce matinee. In less than a month after the minister pronounced them man and wife, Mary A. Stephens left the home and fire-side of Guy W. Stephens for pastures new, according to his testimony. Stephens is a telegraph operator. He declared that the two were married in Newburg, N. J., August 24, 1901. After a few weeks of wedded bliss, Mrs. Stephens deserted him during the following September. Stephens could not tell the court where his wife is at this time.

The same old story of a husband frittering away his money at gambling and drinking, leaving his wife and children to scrape up a living in some old way, was told by Mrs. Pearl Loveland in her action for a divorce against Oliver G. Loveland. They were married in Salt Lake City in August, 1903. For more than a year past, according to the little woman's story, Loveland has done nothing toward the support of herself and their two minor children. In addition to the decree of divorce, Judge Howell awarded the woman the custody of the children and \$10 a month alimony.

The earnings of Harry H. Hoffmeister have gone the same route, according to the testimony of Mrs. Laura M. Hoffmeister. The Hoffmeister family resided in St. Louis, Mo., September 1, 1901. For some time the husband has failed to furnish her with the common necessities of life, spending his money over the green baize tables. The decree of divorce was granted by the court.

PUBLIC MEETING IS HELD AT PARK CITY

Special to The Tribune.

PARK CITY, April 24.—The meeting called by the citizens of Park City for the purpose of protesting against the school consolidation was held at the city hall Thursday evening and was well attended by prominent citizens and school patrons. The meeting was called to order by Fred M. Townsend, mayor, and Stringer acting as secretary. Mr. Smith stated the purpose of the meeting and called upon Mr. Townsend, who was the first speaker.

Mr. Townsend went into details and put forth a score of reasons against consolidation, and explained the disadvantage to which the city would be put should the consolidation be effected.

O. C. Lockhart was the next speaker. He spoke of the high school and the chances of losing it. A county high school would be built and the pupils now attending the Park City high school would be in some country town many miles from here, because a county high school would never be built in Park City.

The following prominent men made talks, all against the consolidating plan: S. L. Harkness, Henry H. Harkness, Henry Hughes, Judge Shields, J. E. Hubbard, Fred Rasband and Rev. Mr. Craven. The following committee was appointed by the chair to formulate a petition and solicit signatures to be presented to the County Commissioners: H. S. Townsend, Fred M. Townsend, John H. Harkness, Henry Harkness, Fred Rasband and L. E. Hubbard. The above committee will meet Friday night.

It is entirely a one-sided question, as Park City has absolutely nothing to gain, but takes a chance on losing one of the best school systems in the state. Throughout the country towns of Summit county the school term is but seven months, whereas Park City always has a nine-months term, and it is quite reasonable to believe that the people in the rural districts would not vote a nine-months term in this city when they have a seven-months term in their own towns. Out of \$36,000 taxes, Park City pays \$22,000, the total levy of Park City valuation, and yet some one tried to convince the citizens that consolidation would benefit this city. Park City does not want consolidation, and a petition to that effect, signed by every citizen, will be presented to the County Commissioners at their next meeting.

FRED NORTHMORE MEETS TRAGIC DEATH

Special to The Tribune.

BURLEY, Idaho, April 24.—Fred Northmore, better known as "Neighbor Jones," who was employed as a book in Contractor Shupert's trading camp near Milner, met a tragic death in some unknown manner, Tuesday night.

Northmore, it appears, had been drinking heavily of late, but when seen by friends earlier in the evening, Tuesday, was quite himself, and was continuing his return to work Wednesday morning. His body was found floating in the recently constructed north side canal, near Milner. There was a deep gash across the forehead, but whether from a blow or caused by the man falling against a rock could not be determined. A bottle of laudanum and \$8 in cash were found in his pockets. The coroner of Twin Falls county was summoned, but did not deem an inquest necessary, as it was evident that the man had met death accidentally. The remains were buried at Milner. At first it was thought he man had met with foul play, but the finding of \$8 in money in his pockets dispelled the idea of his having been murdered or robbed.

RIO GRANDE LOSER IN BIG FIRE AT PUEBLO

Special to The Tribune.

PUEBLO, Colo., April 24.—Fire which started from an unknown cause did \$60,000 damage in the Rio Grande yards about noon today. The flames started in some old freight cars immediately west of C street viaduct in the Walker yards and before noticed had gained considerable headway. It was a hard matter to get control for about four hours. Sixty-two coal and freight cars were destroyed and three spans of the viaduct, which damage amounted to about \$10,000. On account of the fact that a number of cars were in bad order and being repaired, they could not be moved out of the way of the flames. A high wind which continued throughout the day made the flames hard to handle.

CHARGES OF SCANDAL AROUSING INTEREST

Investigation Will Be Made as to Handling of State Fund of Idaho.

Special to The Tribune.

BOISE, Idaho, April 24.—The charges of irregularity in the handling of the funds of the State treasurer and the hints at "scandals" as great as those which marked the handling of funds before the enactment of the depository law, made in the Statesman this morning, have aroused much comment and discussion here today.

The first direct result of the charges is an investigation of the office being made by direction of Governor Gooding under the provisions of the depository law, which gives him the power to order such an investigation and to count the money actually within the vaults of the treasury. The investigation is being made by Bank Commissioner W. S. Chaney, though the duty of making such an examination naturally falls upon the State accountant and Insurance Commissioner C. D. Goardind, who is out of the city.

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